

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Wm. Cochrane in company with friends from Calgary left on Friday by car for a trip to Vancouver and other Pacific coast points.

Mrs. David Simpson returned on Saturday from a few days visit with friends in Pincher Creek.

Alvin Murphy left Tuesday afternoon by motor car for a trip to Athabasca.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Poulsen are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a second son, Lenny Bernard in St. Vincent's hospital, Pincher Creek, January 26.

Mrs. Doris Sandeman has returned from Calgary where she spent several days visiting her sister, Miss Kathleen Elton and her aunt Mrs. Jack Kemmis.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was observed at the morning services of St. Aidan's Anglican church here on Sunday last with Rev. Mr. Cyril Clark in charge.

A very successful dance, sponsored by the Cowley Baseball Society was staged in Papp's hall Friday night, February 6 at which two hundred persons were present.

Following several months spent in Penitence, BC, Alex Maloff has returned and is now stopping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Lemire and family here. He intends continuing on to Edmonton in a few days where he will take a course in Diesel Engineering.

A series of special meetings was held in St. Joseph's church here this week by Father O'Reilly of Calgary, assisted by Father Violini, with both morning and evening devotion.

Mrs. Jack Douglas of Maycroft arrived home Monday from a visit of several weeks spent at the home of her daughter Mrs. Harry Long and her sister Mrs. Roy Buro and their families at Marlin, Idaho and when en route she made a stop-over to visit another sister, Mrs. Lake, and family at Johnstons Landing, BC. Mrs. Douglas reported the winter weather in Idaho more severe and harder to



G. ALLAN MACNAMARA, newly appointed vice-president of traffic for the Canadian Pacific Railway who will direct the world-wide organization which obtains freight and passenger traffic for the company's trains in Canada and the United States and steamships-ocean, coastal and inland.

Mr. Macnamara brings to his position 35 years of railroad experience, broken by active service overseas from 1915 to 1919 with the Canadian Army, in which he enlisted in the First Division in his native Winnipeg. Before taking up his new post in Montreal, he was general traffic manager of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway in Minneapolis and has been with the CPR or on joint CP-Soo Line service since 1920.

stand than our Alberta winter here.

A movement sponsored by the Ladies Aid of the United church was made to make extensive repairs on their church here. At present writing the ceiling of the church has been insulated and the windows tightened up. This alone saves around eighty percent of the heat that has been wasted and the added comfort is noticeably felt. When building materials can be procured a good sized room will be added onto the back of the church which will serve the purpose more conveniently in handling the Sunday school work and will also serve as a place to hold special meetings etc.

The Ladies Aid of the United church was entertained at their monthly meeting by Mrs. Frank Webber at the home of Mrs. Arthur Tustian, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4, with a goodly number in attendance. A series of talks on spreading the gospel and its origin has been arranged, covering the twelve months of the ensuing year with members in turn being to this work. At this meeting Mrs. Webber gave talk on the Bible translation by Martin Luther in the 13th century with the effects of its appearance in England and other countries in that day.

Joe Grolig, retired bachelor rancher in his seventies was burned to death when his home a few miles north of Lundbreck was destroyed by fire Friday night, February 6. On Saturday morning a smoldering smoke was first noticed by Bill Bennett, a neighbor when on investigating found the one room shack reduced to ashes with Mr. Grolig's charred body reposing with his head. Origin of the fire is unknown. The deceased had lived alone for a number of years and had been in failing health for some considerable time. The remains were buried in the Livingstone cemetery on Tuesday, February 10th. Mr. Grolig was born in Germany and has no relatives living in this country.

Mr. Harold Pinkney, who has been a patient in the University hospital, Edmonton returned home on Monday.

All schools in Poland were closed during enemy occupation, so that there are boys and girls of fourteen years of age who cannot yet read or write. Give them the tools they need for education, by helping the Canadian Appeal for Children.

Operators Meet in Calgary; Elect J. J. McIntyre President

J. J. McIntyre, of Coleman, was elected president of the Western Canada Bituminous Coal Operators Association at their annual meeting in Calgary Wednesday.

Other officers elected at the meeting that morning were: A. D. Sturrock, Nordegg, vice-president; William C. Whitaker, secretary and T. H. Wilson, Fernie, to be a member of the executive committee with Mr. McIntyre and Mr. Sturrock.

No decision was handed out on the arbitration board award of \$2 a day wage increase to the miners, as other points covered by the award will have to receive careful consideration.

Alberta government officials said in Edmonton Wednesday morning that the United Mine Workers were holding in abeyance their decision on the arbitration award until the operators had announced their decision.

I.O.D.E. OFFICERS FOR 1948

The Crow's Nest Chapter, I.O.D.E. held their annual Election Meeting on Tuesday, February 10th.

The new slate of officers are:

Mr. C. Hughson, Regent
Mrs. R. Tonge, 1st Vice Regent
Mrs. D. Kemp, Jr., 2nd Vice Regent
Mrs. C. R. Gilmar, Secretary
Mrs. H. Carmichael, Treasurer
Mrs. A. Veprava, Educational Sec.
Mrs. A. Bourne, Echoes Sec.
Mrs. R. Simister, Standard Bearer
Mrs. A. Welton, Endowment Fund Convener
Mrs. M. McKay and Mrs. J. Patterson, Emergency Fund Convener.

John Lloyd Candidate in This Riding for CCF

John Lloyd, president of the Blairmore local of the UMW of A, a miner employed by the Greenhill Mine, Blairmore, was nominated as CCF candidate for Pincher Creek-Crow's Nest Provincial constituency, at meeting held in Coleman, Saturday. The meeting was addressed by Elmer Roper, provincial leader of the CCF, J. Grith, Macleod, and John Peterson, Claresholm.

Born 38 years ago in Coleman, Mr. Lloyd attended high school in Blairmore and normal school in Calgary. He taught school before starting work in the International Mine at Coleman. He had served as chairman of the Coleman school board during his residence there.

Constituency officers elected were: president and campaign manager, W. J. White, of Coleman; vice-president, Dave Holly, of Coleman; secretary, James J. Lloyd, of Blairmore and brother of the candidate. Executive: L. M. Cleland, Cowley; C. J. Bundy, Pincher Creek; J. Ramsay Coleman; O. Nystrum, of Blairmore; F. Capron, of Bellevue; Mrs. M. Lloyd of Blairmore, wife of candidate.

I.O.D.E. Appeal

The Crow's Nest Chapter I.O.D.E. would appreciate gifts of new or good used clothing, crib sheets or towels for infants or children up to 14 years; for the Queen Elizabeth Children's Hospital in London. These could be left with Mrs. Simister, at Thompson's Store or given to any member of the I.O.D.E. before March 10th.

Mrs. Gilmar, Secretary

The Women's World Day of Prayer is being observed in the Blairmore United church this Friday afternoon.

J. Harper Prowse, Prov. Liberal Leader, Heard in Blairmore

J. Harper Prowse, M.L.A. of Edmonton, Alta., Liberal leader, addressed an enthusiastic gathering of Pass Liberals under the chairmanship of J. V. McDougall in Blairmore on Tuesday evening. Following the leader's address, organization was completed in the Pincher Creek-Crow's Nest Pass Liberal Association.

Mr. Prowse journeyed to Calgary following the meeting and he met Calgary young men interested in public affairs at an informal reception at the Palliser hotel at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday. He will also address a luncheon meeting sponsored by the Calgary Women's Liberal Club at the Club Cafe there at 12:15 p.m. today.

LIBRARY NOTES

An excellent non-fiction section is now included in the Blairmore Public Library. The books are not technical but they are chosen by the librarian as being of topical and up-to-date interest. The selection is made with the advice of librarians in charge of big city libraries. Some of the latest of these books include the following:

The Enchanted Islands (experience of a couple on the Galapagos Islands), A. and E. Conway; Canadian Spring, Jacques; The Owl Pen, K. M. Wells; Sardi Arabia, F. S. Twitichell; Shikar, and Safari, Edition Marshall; Free Gold (tale of Canadian Mining) A. Hoffman; Stalin Must Have Peace, Edgar Snow; and Bright Passage (Czechoslovakia today), Mairie Hinds.

Town Nominations Monday Next

Monday next, Feb. 16, is nomination day of candidates for town councilors and members of the school board. Nominations will be received by secretary-treasurer C. M. Larbalester at the town office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 12 noon.

Nominations are called for two councilors and two school board members this year. G. Rees and P. Bodin are the two councilors whose term expires this year, while S. G. Baman and M. Krosky retire from the school board. We are unable to learn if the above four will seek reelection.

Should an election be necessary, this is called to be held on Monday, Feb. 23.

Coal, Key to America Continued Prosperity

Not atomic power, but old-fashioned coal—dirty smoky soft coal—is the key to America's continued prosperity and power, scientists attending the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science heard from Prof. S. W. Hockett of Iowa Wesleyan College.

With power sources now in sight American coal reserves constitute 98.8 per cent, with natural gas, oil shale and petroleum splitting the small remainder among them. Coal reserves of the nation total up to 2,356 billion tons, while the reserves of the other three fuels will provide the energy equivalent of only a little more than 30 billion tons of coal. It has been estimated that America's known coal reserves can meet the fuel needs of the next 2,000 years.

Mr. M. Piard is home for a short visit with his family.



Alec Templeton, famed blind pianist of radio and concert fame pictured at the Royal Alexandra hotel in Winnipeg during a three-day stay in the city in the course of a concert tour of western Canada.

Blind Vote With Tokens

A new method of voting, used by blind persons in other parts of Canada and the U.S. was introduced in Calgary when the Calgary Blind Club held election of officers for 1948 Monday night at the clubrooms in Reliance hall.

Plastic tokens in various shapes, such as a cross, a T, a ring and a triangle, were used in elections, with each candidate for office being identified by a different token. The 59 members voted for their candidates by "feel" of the token.

William Glendenning was named president; William Crawford, vice president; W. H. Phillips, secretary; and Ernest L. Rush, treasurer. Representatives to the Canadian Council of the Blind were Mr. Rush, D. R. Stewart and W. F. Ricks. Mrs. Allan O'Neil was appointed chairman of the visiting committee, and Mary James will direct the entertainment committee.

The year 1947 was termed financially successful and the social activities have been well attended. Members of the Calgary Elks club will sponsor a program of entertainment at the meeting Feb. 21.

W. Glendenning, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. Glendenning of Coleman, is well known in the Pass and visits the district each summer. Before going to Calgary a number of years ago he was in the employ of the Cos. and Greenhill hotels here.

F.I.L.A. 495 Loans In Alberta in 1947

OTTAWA Feb. 9.—Alberta farmers borrowed \$436,276 through 495 loans under the provisions of The Farm Improvement Loans Act during 1947 for the purpose of construction or repairs to farm buildings.

The Alberta branches of the chartered banks made the loans under a partial Government guarantee against loss which is a provision of the Act. Lending for the construction of a new farm home or utility building, or the carrying out of repairs, alterations and additions to the existing buildings was 39.61 per cent greater in Alberta during 1947 than in the previous year.

In 1946 414 loans were made to an amount of \$312,492.79 under the section of F.I.L.A. which provides for this phase of farm improvements.

Alberta led all other western provinces for 1947 with the amount borrowed by its farmers for this purpose.

Thousands of children in the world are hungry, cold, and sick. Are they the kind of citizens we want in the world of tomorrow? Help The Canadian Appeal for Children bring strength and health to these future world citizens.

HILLCREST ITEMS

Mr. J. Hyslop returned Sunday morning from Vancouver, where he was visiting his parents.

Mr. H. Rhoe was a visitor at Pincher Station last week with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Karfaer returned last week from Drumheller, where they were visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Rhodes, were recent visitors in Champion, with their son and daughter-in-law.

The regular monthly meeting of the United Church Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. W. Moser last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown were the guests of honor on the eve of Friday, January 30, in the Hillcrest Catholic hall, on the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Approximately 150 guests attended. Conversers for the evening were Mrs. R. Gardiner, Mrs. J. Shearer, Mrs. M. Douglas, Mrs. J. Brywn Jr., and Mr. J. Hyslop was master of ceremonies.

The grand march was led by Mr. and Mrs. C. Young and music supplied by Mr. A. Christie, Mr. A. Snyder and Mr. C. Lawrence. Refreshments were served by Mr. Angus Grant, Mr. J. Shearer and Mr. Alex Grant. Mr. R. Gardiner presented the guests of honor with a well-filled wallet. An interesting and varied program of songs dancing and recitations made up the evening. The party broke up with the singing of Auld Lang Syne and God Save the King.

Canada Asked to Help Needy of Europe-Asia

Canada today is being asked to contribute to help the needy of Europe and Asia and that help is expected to be the most deserving—the boys and girls of the world who have been innocent victims of the war.

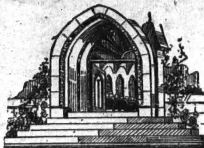
Those of us whose lives are spent within hospital corridors, know first hand the value of our equipment. At our disposal we have labs for research, x-ray equipment for accurate diagnosis, modern surgical instruments and all things necessary for the treatment of the sick. But there are those of us who complain that some facilities are lacking. And maybe their complaints are justified.

How different in countries ravaged by war! More than three million children in Europe are hungry. To protect their feet they wear rags on their backs, too, are tattered clothes. Malnutrition is rampant. And in its wake has come tuberculosis and rickets. All diseases are on the increase. With the elements and want sapping their vitality, these children fall easy prey to illness and hospitals, those not smashed during five years of war, are fighting a losing struggle.

Recent surveys conducted in these countries evidence the dire plight of the hospitals. Treating the ill is a make-shift business. Labs have been wrecked and libraries sacked. Surgical instruments have been pillaged or lost. Everything that goes for the operation of a hospital is in short supply.

Canada is now in the midst of campaign to raise funds for the children of Europe and Asia. It is the Canadian Appeal for Children. The money will be used for the purchase of food and clothing. Money will also be spent to equip hospitals. Until Europe and Asia have recovered from the ill of war, the world will remain in an unhealthy state. If you wish to aid in this recovery plan, send your donation to any branch of any bank in Canada. The need is great. The need is urgent.

Owing to the extreme cold, services at the United church were cancelled last Sunday evening.



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Services Sunday next:
11:00 a.m., Senior school.
2:00 p.m., Junior school.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.

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Church school 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday services:
11 a.m., Holiness meeting.
2:30 p.m., Directory class.
8 p.m., Sunday school.
7:30 p.m., Salvation meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise meeting. Funerals, dedications and marriages on application to the local officers.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 12 noon.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

The Rising Cost Of Living

RIISING LIVING COSTS HAVE BEEN CAUSING concern in all parts of Canada during the past few months. On December 1st, 1947, the cost of living index stood at 146, and it is expected that when the next report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics is made public in February, this figure may show an increase, due to the continued advances in the prices of some commodities. Some time ago, officials of the Dominion Department of Finance predicted that the cost of living index would not likely go higher than 145, but it now appears that it may exceed that figure considerably. In 1920, which was the peak year of inflation in Canada following the First Great War, the cost of living index was 145.4, which was a record for high living costs in the Dominion. In calculating the present cost of living index, the basic figure of 100 represents price levels between the years 1935 and 1939.

The figure given for December 1st, 1947, shows that the cost of living is now almost fifty per cent. higher than it was in the basic period, and that it has risen 18.9 points in the past year. Since April, 1947, the increase was shown to be 15.4 points, indicating that there was a rapid advance in prices between April and December of last year. Although the prices of almost all goods have risen, increases in the price of food are believed to be the main cause of the rapid rise in the cost of living index. Such decisive upward trends in living costs indicate inflation, which is apparently an unavoidable accompaniment to the economic upheaval caused by war. Through price controls, subsidies, and other measures, Canadians were for some time protected from inflation, but it was inevitable that these controls should eventually be lifted and that we should pass through a period of economic adjustment.

It is to be hoped that we may this time be able to avoid the pattern of past periods of inflation, when prices and wages continued to rise in a spiral that ended in economic disaster. Financial experts are of the opinion that we may safely pass through this period of inflation, but they warn industries against over-expansion in the matter of buying expensive equipment, counting on continuing high prices and large profits to meet their costs. They also advise no slackening of effort on the part of either labor or management in our industries or in the development of our natural resources. Without doubt Canada is now passing through a very critical time in her history and one which will lead either to a state of sound progress and development or to a depression. No one can foretell exactly what will happen but there are many who believe that, with increased markets for Canadian products both at home and abroad, we will continue to enjoy a large measure of prosperity. It is to be sincerely hoped that this may be the course which the country will follow and that the present trend toward inflation will not lead to financial disaster.

To Start Work On B.C. Sulphate Mill

VANCOUVER. — The H. R. MacMillan export company limited will construct a \$12,000,000 bleached sulphate pulp mill on Vancouver island, it was announced at the annual meeting of shareholders here.

H. R. MacMillan, president, said the mill, planned to give employment to at least 200 persons, would be located somewhere on the east coast of Vancouver island. Construction is expected to start early this year and be finished by 1950. It will have a daily capacity of 200 tons of bleached sulphate or 225 tons of unbleached sulphate pulp, using nothing but by-products.

"It's production will be marketed chiefly in the United States, providing an important source of much-needed U.S. dollars for Canada," he said.

English Climate Hits Eskimo Girl

FELIXSTOWE, Kent, England.—Rebecca, 15-year-old Eskimo girl who returned to England with Mrs. John Turner, widowed by an Arctic shooting accident, hasn't taken kindly to this island climate—she's had a succession of colds since her arrival.

Otherwise she's settled easily into English ways, although unable to speak the language and "a little homesick whenever she hears of anyone going to Canada," said Mrs. Turner.

COURTESY PLUS

HULL, England.—Personal advertisement in a Hull newspaper: "The cyclist who crossed Heddon Road in front of a fast-moving car Monday last offers his sincere apologies to the driver."



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10,000 DUTCH FARMERS COMING TO CANADA

THE HAGUE. — The Rotterdam Lloyd Lines' motorship Kota Intent will sail for Canada March 12 on the first of seven trips planned this year, on which 10,000 Dutch farmers, immigrants and their families will be transported to the Dominion, it was announced.

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SPEEDBOY—Four-year-old George Howard Cole, of London, England, is a "veteran" motorcyclist of six months' standing. The boy, son of a speedway rider and builder of motorcycles, had crowds gaping when he careened up to Henley Hall, London, to drop in at the Motor Show there. Young Cole rides a specially built motorcycle with which he has done 45 miles an hour on a dirt track.

FUNNY And OTHERWISE

She: "I'm going to speak my mind."

He: "Ah! Silence at last!"

"You have no speedometer in your car?"

"No need — if I do forty the 'lamps on my car rattles' — higher than that my teeth rattle."

Prisoner — It is difficult to see how I can be a forger. Why, I can't sign my own name.

Judge—You are not charged with signing your own name.

Captain Jevons (introducing an acquaintance to his old aunt): "This is my old friend Jones. He lives on the Canary Islands."

"How interesting," murmured old aunt, and gathering all her wits she added: "Then, of course you sing."

"Come, come, Joan, surely you know if the world is round or square? ... Mary, tell her."

"It's crooked, teacher," said Mary, darkly.

The aggressive wife of a meek little man was hawking her husband over the coals for having made a fool of himself when some friends called. He sat in dejected silence.

"And don't sit there," she shouted, "making fists at me in your pockets, either."

"I've had a worrying time with insurance people. They ask such awkward questions. They even wanted to know the state of my mind."

"How absurd! I suppose you left that blank."

Whilst in the jungle a big-game hunter came upon a tribe of cannibals about to sit down to their favorite repast. The hunter got into conversation with the chief, who told him that he had been educated at an American college.

"Do you mean to say," asked the hunter, amazed, "that you went to college and still eat your fellow-men?"

"Yes," came the reply; "but, of course, I always use a knife and fork now."

Sophomore: "Did you ever take chloroform?"

Freshman: "No, who teaches it?"

A woman about to leave London for New Zealand was advised to provide herself with very warm clothing.

"Why?" she asked.

"Oh, it's awfully cold out there, don't you know?" replied the adviser. "It's the place where all the frozen mutton comes from."

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Barley Title Winner Hits Record In 1947

George Gwyllt Of Kelvington, Sask., Won 31 Awards Besides Barley Championship
(Central Press Canadian)

George Gwyllt, 78-year-old pioneer of the Kelvington, Sask. district, figures he hit the jackpot in 1947. In addition to winning the title of the world's champion grower of barley at the Chicago International Grain Show, Mr. Gwyllt took 31 other awards for his grain and forage crop seed exhibits at Saskatoon, Regina, Toronto and Chicago.

It was his biggest year in the 30 he has spent trying to produce the best kind of seed. As an opener for 1948, Mr. Gwyllt won a regional first prize in the national barley contest, and was third for the province in the same competition.

Born of Welsh parents in Staffordshire, England, George Gwyllt came to Canada in 1903. He worked in Saskatoon and Calgary at his trade of a brick manufacturer, but decided to take up farming at Hanley, Sask., just a year before World War I upset his plans. He went overseas, returned in 1919 to take up a veteran's land grant near Kelvington. He still farms the same land, likes to tell of his faith in the district at times when other settlers were talking about getting out.

Mr. Gwyllt started in on the production of pure seed soon after he was established, and through the years has earned a high reputation among farmers of the province, and far beyond it. A long-time member of the Canadian Registered Seed Growers' association, he is a highly respected member of the big branch of that association at Kelvington. At a recent meeting of the seed growers in Saskatoon, Mr. Gwyllt proudly showed the ribbons he won at Chicago in December. The world's barley championship award was his particular pride. "I've been fishing for this for 30 years now," he explained.

The aging farmer, who hopes to be growing seed grain and winning prizes for "a lot of years yet" attributes his success to the best land in the west, plenty of hard work to produce the best, and only the best. "I've had a lot of valuable help from both the Dominion and provincial departments of agriculture, but most of all the help I have had from Mrs. Gwyllt has been the greatest factor in my success."

Mr. Gwyllt hopes to put in a banner year in 1948, and feels his national barley contest success has given him a flying start.

B.C. MINES SET RECORD

VANCOUVER. — Production of British Columbia mines in 1947 was more than \$100,000,000 far in excess of any previous year. It was announced at a B.C. chamber of mines meeting here. Unprecedented demands for base metals at high prices caused re-opening of old mines and development of new ones.



LOVE PLAYS SECOND FIDDLE

Donna Gresco, 20-year-old Winnipeg violinist, who made her debut at Carnegie Hall on Jan. 30, says she gave up romance with a boy in Winnipeg, but last year the realization came to us both that I had a talent that should be fulfilled. When eight years old she was acclaimed a musical genius, and at 10 won a \$5,000 scholarship from the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago. Later the people in her home city established a fund to enable her to go to New York for further study. Now Winnipeggers are raising money to buy her a \$12,000 Montana violin.

OAT EXPORT PERMITS TO BE MADE AVAILABLE

WINNIPEG.—The Canadian wheat board announced it will accept applications for export permits covering shipment of a limited quantity of mixed feed oats to Sweden or Greece. Shipments will be from Lakeshead or Georgian Bay ports after opening of lake navigation, or from Vancouver.

The equalization fee will be the fee in effect at time of application.

TREE YIELDED MONEY FOR WESTERN TRAPPER

HUDSON BAY, Sask.—You can't tell W. D. Bennett that money doesn't come from trees—he knows better. Bennett operates a trappine east of this northeastern Saskatchewan town and found one of his traps had been dragged away. Following the tracks, he finally found the trap up a tree—still holding a large fish whose pelt was valued at \$100.

Alberta Farmers Repay Loans

EDMONTON. — Alberta farmers have repaid \$7,108,740 of \$10,345,310 made in loans by the Canadian Farm Loan board.

Ninety-seven out of every 100 borrowers in the province had no first mortgage interest arrears at March 31 last. During the past fiscal year, borrowers in Alberta paid \$456,530 on account of principal.

The board lent an average of \$3,500,000 a year to Canadian farmers during the first 10 years of its operations. There was a decline during the war, but indications are that this year, loans will almost equal the pre-war average.

Chief purpose for borrowing has changed in recent years. In 1940-41 about 77% was used to pay debts and 9% to buy land. In 1946-47, 92% was used to pay debts and 3% to buy land. Borrowing to make improvements on farms has increased.

SASK. FEDERATED CO-OP. BUYS LEDUC WELL SITE

REGINA.—Saskatchewan Federated Co-operatives has purchased a 40-acre drilling site in the Leduc area of Alberta for about \$10,000. The concern, undertaking its first venture in the exploratory field, must commence drilling operations before May 1, 1948, under terms of the agreement.

The co-op will have to pay a 50% royalty to the Alberta Government, in addition to the province's regular royalty, if successful in discovering oil.

Any crude found would be shipped to the co-op's plant in Regina for refining.

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TEEN-AGE CUBAN GIRL IS ATOM PHYSICIST—Science of the atom will be studied by Gladys Diaz de los Arcos, 17-year-old Cuban girl, who already has won 24 prizes for scientific articles she has written. She will attend college in U.S. on scholarship given by business and professional women.



A RIDE BEHIND HUSKIES suggests all sorts of adventure in bleak regions of great distances but this lady and her escort seem to be enjoying an outing near home just for the fun of it.



FUMES KILL THREE YOUNGSTERS—Dorothy June Brown, 12, of Humberstone, Ont., was one of three youngsters who died from carbon monoxide fumes from a ventless gas hot water heater. Dorothy was babysitter in the home of Wilfrid Eden for a five-month-old girl, Marion Elaine Eden, and Carol Anne Eden, age 8.



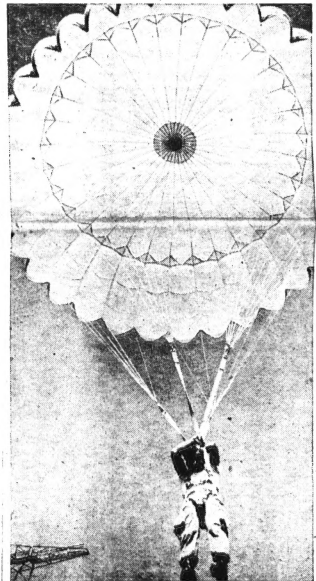
NEW OFFICERS of the Western Stockgrowers' Association elected at Lethbridge included, (left), C. H. McKinnon, Dalmat, Alta.; (centre), K. Koppock, Calgary, secretary, and Tom Usher, Scollard, retiring president.



NEW EXECUTIVE—The newly elected executive of the United Farm Women of Alberta, left to right: Mrs. W. C. Taylor, Wainwright, vice-president; Mrs. M. E. Lowe, Namos, president; Miss Molly Coupland, Lethbridge.



IMMERSION SUITS FOR DUNKED FLIERS—All U.S. navy fliers, stationed at the reserve air station in Squantum, Mass., must wear the new immersion suits, when they take to the air over northeast waters. These immersion suits, which weigh but 20 ounces, are made of rubber and nylon, and seal the body completely, thereby retaining the warmth of the body in icy waters. When wearing these new "Mac Weats", the man can float in the water quite comfortably and be warm enough to give him a better chance of rescue in event of accident. Without such equipment, a man can freeze to death in icy waters in about five minutes. The suits slip easily over the flier's regular clothing. They aren't cumbersome or bulky, and when not in use can be rolled up into a small bundle. Here Lieut. George Spooner "coolly" smokes a cigar as he relaxes in the icy water. Quite comfortably, too, he says.



SOVIET VISITORS EXCLUDED—Canada's paratroop training camp at Shilo, Man., will no longer be open to inspection by Soviet military visitors, Ottawa has announced. This trooper is descending by parachute from a tower at the Shilo camp.



TRAINING GROUNDS for paratroopers, Camp Shilo is a big artillery camp. Here troops in summer manoeuvres are under simulated battle conditions at the big centre.



FARMER SHOTS DEFIANT WOLF—Wolf shot by Arnold Fish near Trafalgar, Ont., farm is shown beside Roy Fish, (right), father-of marksman, and Bill Kelly a neighbor. Wolf was shot twice after several hours' stalking. Coming face-to-face with the wolf, Fish shot it "through the middle", but it continued to advance as if nothing had hit him. Undaunted, Fish raised his rifle again, and this time downed the animal with a bullet in the neck.



RENOUNCES DANISH TITLES TO MARRY—Prince Olaf, cousin of King Frederik of Denmark, is shown in Copenhagen with his bride-to-be, Annie Puggaard Moeller, a commoner. The prince, who renounced all his royal titles when he announced his forthcoming marriage, and his future wife were invested with the title of Count and Countess of Rosenberg.



LIKES HIS BOTTLE—The "kid" certainly relishes his bottle, and the seven-year-old son of Mrs. Charles, Essary, R.R. 1, Saanichton, B.C., enjoys playing nurse to this healthy-looking baby. The picture was taken at the home of the boy's grandfather, Mr. Richardson, Duncan, B.C.



IDEAL WEATHER LURES SKIERS TO THE HILLS—Plenty of snow and ideal weather across Canada has proved irresistible lure for skiers who have swarmed out to hills and mountains in great numbers. The above young lady is seen with her hickories preparing for one of Canada's thrilling sports.



TRENCH-SEWER CAVE-IN CAUSES TWO DEATHS—Survivors of sewer-trench cave-in at London, Ont., Arnold Baynam receives a kiss from his wife. He escaped by crawling through sewer. Their baby is Karen Digging the dirt with his bare hands, Orville Sherman kept one workman



alive for 15 minutes.



Lantern taken into sewer to guide Baynam to exit is held by Arthur Thomas. Cecil Lentestey, (left), and Hugh Faircloth tried to save two who died.

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REAL RADIO PROBE CALLED FOR

Radio is directly connected with the winning of elections and therefore with the choice by the voters of a Government to administer the affairs of the country. The late Premier Aberhart, Social Credit Premier of Alberta, used Radio freely to sell his "funny money" theories to the people of this Province; while the CCF finds it an

ideal medium for the circulation of propaganda, since radio speeches are not easily studied or checked. More orthodox politicians, too, contribute to filling the air with political speeches.

Because Radio, then, is so directly connected with the business of getting elected for politicians, both individually and as parties or groups, it should Obviously be kept free from political control. Otherwise there is always the danger that the electorate may be misled or that the dice may be unfairly loaded. Many responsible citizens fear that political control of Radio is not merely possible but probable under the present CBC set-up. Through this the Government of the day may grant or deny licenses to operate radio stations under the influence of political considerations. It may "hire of fire" CBC's Chairman or any member of the Board of Governors for no better reasons. But Radio's freedom from political control is not alone at stake. The Canadian Daily Newspaper Association, a national body that may be presumed to know what it is talking about, has made it clear, in turn, that the development of electronic devices for the transmission and production of "Facsimile" newspapers by Radio constitutes a grave potential danger to the freedom of the Press. In opinion of a number of leading publishers, in fact, this danger may become a reality all too soon.

Such a situation emphatically calls for immediate and thorough investigation by some qualified body, with a view to regulating it in the general

interest. Good friends even of the CBC have called for such an investigation. There is, of course, the Radio Committee of the House of Commons which tries to scrutinize the functioning of Radio in general and of the CBC in particular. It is ill-equipped, however, for the task, because it is composed of party politicians, men unfamiliar with Radio and too busy to give it adequate study, in any case. Moreover, it acts under terms of reference that are too narrow to be effective, while its decisions carry little weight because they are suspected of partisan bias. The most probable development, therefore, and the one that public opinion would warmly endorse, is the setting up, if not of a Royal Commission, then at least of a Senate Investigating Committee.

By all means, the public who pay for state-owned Radio deserve to be given satisfactory assurance that they are not contributing their money to the forging of a political weapon designed to destroy their democratic freedom.—The Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

"WHICH IS ABSURD"

The man who robs a baker's till
And shoots the owner there
Is quickly dragged to Gallows Hill
To dance upon the air.
But one who robs ten thousand score
(Thieving at wholesale rate!)
And "liquidates" as many more
May be a Chief of State,
Bright in gold lace and courtly gear
And go unhung for many a year.
J.E.M.

Is a child's life worth one day yours? The Canadian Appeal for Children asks you for one day's pay to save a child's life. Please make your donation NOW!

The Bellevue Lions Club committee met recently to discuss the annual May 24th celebration. Discussion was centered around the May Queen contest, which may not be held this year. The big show, which was a big success last year, promises to be bigger and better this year. Roy Price and Percy Leitch, two officials of the venture, stated at the meeting that a minstrel show will be the main attraction of the big celebration this year.

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This situation is made more serious than ever before because so many countries, our regular customers, have not recovered from the war. It may be some time yet before they get on their feet sufficiently to help put things right. Meantime, we must find ways and means of balancing our own books and reducing our U.S. dollar deficit.

There are two things we can do at the moment... cut down unnecessary purchases from the U.S. dollar area and increase our production of goods that can be sold to those countries in balance accounts. It's an emergency and should be treated as such.

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Think Capitalism at Root of Trouble

Editor, The Alberta:

Many letters and articles appear almost daily in the public press, for and against — mostly against — Communism.

Now I am not a Communist but I do firmly believe that a planned Socialist economy would have to be introduced before this chaotic world can be come stabilized again.

It isn't any howling about "Communist destruction" of our Canadian way of life, because the Communist party—LPP is still only in the disperse stage. The LPP has very little political strength in Canada, not yet having any representation in the House at Ottawa and having only two or three representatives in the legislatures of Manitoba and Ontario. They couldn't do much damage to Canada if they wanted to; and I don't think for a moment they want to.

The near hysterical ravings against Russia—our late glorious allies, that is what we called them at one time—and the Communists don't taste or smell good to me at all.

Capitalism has got itself, all over the world, into such a state of confusion and decay that it must find a magnified excuse to cover its own weakness and to hide the truth of its weakness to function in the interest of the peoples it is supposed to serve.

I ask these few questions: Is Communism, or Russia, responsible for the present disgraceful high cost of living? For the world monetary debacle? For homeless thousands of starving hungry men, women and children? For

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the miserable pensions paid old and blind people? Was Communism responsible for Nazism and Fascism which bred the wholesale slaughter in World War II? Was Communism responsible for World War One, the South African War, Spanish American war, Franco-Prussian war and many other wars fought under the so-called democratic system of capitalism?

Why must we deny this undeniable truth which is that capitalism when it got into a jam always used war as its method of stabilizing itself. No greater example of the idiosyncrasy of our present profit system can be produced than the fact applied to all who want to see that after we have destroyed the countries of Europe and Asia by a terrible war, we must now find the money and the means to rebuild the countries we destroyed and to house and feed the homeless starving millions caused by a war seeded, born, and sordid by capitalism itself.

Nazism and Fascism are both children of capitalism and I am deeply sorry to say that World War II did not destroy either child. Fascism is still rearing its ugly head in many countries. In Britain, the U.S. (the Taft-Hartley Act is a gem of Fascism) and in Canada. In Great Britain, Oswald Mosley is bragging that he will revive his party again. Why this scum, who would have run England knee deep in blood by aiding Hitler if Germany had successfully invaded Britain, is allowed to remain alive whilst German, Italian and Japanese war criminals have been executed is something I don't understand.

It is my opinion that this constant barrage against the Communist is mostly a smoke screen to confuse the workers minds and to hide the glaring faults of capitalism. If workers come out on strike for a real increase in wages it is Communist-inspired.

My firm belief is that in the near future a drive will be put on by the bosses, both in Canada and the U.S. to batter down work and wages. Before this is done methods will be used to split the ranks of organized labor

by subtle propaganda both by voice and press. A campaign of abuse against labor union leaders will be launched which will seek to plant seeds of suspicion and distrust in the minds of union members against their leaders. The union members will be asked to believe that their organization is Communist-controlled and a division of the membership sought in many unions by slimy methods of this sort. My advice to union men is to stand fast and solid at all times. Don't fall for the tactics of the boss class.

Much has been said and written about the selfish wage demands of labor, but the undeniable truth is that the greatest wage or salary increase ever received in Canadian history was received by members of the Federal Parliament at Ottawa. Now MP's are supposed to be employees of the Canadian people. Our votes put them there. Well! Did the MP's reciprocate with a salary increase with their employers, the Canadian people. They did not. They just said we are going to raise our pay checks 50 per cent, or \$2,000 a year tax free. Now the House sits for only seven or eight months a year and many members absent themselves from the sittings whenever they feel like it. How would you like a seven months a year job which gave you an increase of \$2,000 a year and the right to play "hooky" whenever you felt like it. When it comes to getting a wage increase Ottawa has shown labor unions to be poor pikers.

ALBERT E. ALLEN
Drumheller, Alberta.

Three bulls escaped from a slaughter house. One was a big bull, one was a medium-sized bull, and one was a very small bull. The big bull ran into a barn across the road and was captured in no time flat. The medium-sized bull stopped for a red light on the corner and was promptly lassoed. The small bull, however, led his pursuers a merry chase before he was rounded up. The reason for this is that a little bull goes a long way.

EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS



Does the man who rushes through his work really accomplish more?

Very rarely, I think. For such a man is using emotion instead of his head. He concentrates on haste instead of efficiency. Before he finishes one thing he is mentally rushing on to the next. So he never does anything thoroughly.

Moreover, the unfortunate effects of such a temperament are felt in many directions. By his nervous actions and rapid-fire speech, Mr. Rush creates a feeling of tension and confusion in other people. Thus he multiplies his own inefficiency.

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Solving Soil Problems In The West

U.S. Soils Conservation Borrows Canadian Developments In Farming

By T. R. MELVILLE-NESS
Central Press Canadian

NOT so many years ago the average prairie farmer would have considered his brow if asked the meaning of the word "soil conservation". He figured that, whatever it was, it didn't affect him anyway.

That was in the hey-day of the booming '20's. Most plains farmers had experienced a bit of drought here and there, but the country had not been settled long enough for many of them to have seen the drastic effects of a hot, dry season, with scorching winds that shrivelled everything in their path. Here and there, crop failures had been experienced, but they were regarded as a normal condition every season at widely-scattered points across the prairie provinces.

In those days, farmers plowed deeply into the land with mould-board implements, stirred the soil nine and ten inches down. They covered the stubble and burned straw piles left by threshing machines in the fall. If the stubble was long, they burned that before plowing, too. They used cultivation tools that pulverized and dried the soil surface.

Disaster Strikes

Gradually the spongy content of the soil, heritage of the prairie sod, disappeared. The scientists at experimental farms, and a few farmers foresaw disaster, experimented with new and better methods that might avert the disaster. They were not quite ready when disaster struck, though, in the early '30's.

No western farmer who went through it will forget the first year of drought. Crops that showed promise right up to the middle of June, 1930, slowly died as the rains failed to come, and the hot winds blew. By mid-July the grain crops were shrivelled and died. There was no cover on the land, and the winds blew the dust for hundreds of miles in great choking clouds. There was dust and despair everywhere.

The story of the drought would fill many large books. It did, in fact, fill plenty of books for the soil scientists who recorded the effects of the dry, searing winds, and the things that happened to the prairie soil, depleted of organic matter, blown by the wind right down to the hard sub-soil.

Something had to be done quickly, said the scientists, and they knew exactly what was needed. It wasn't easy to get farmers to change their thinking about how the land should be cultivated, but by example and daily contact, soil workers at the experimental stations and universities managed to spread the radically new gospel.

New Concept Of Farming

Briefly, the new creed was summed up in a few sentences. Aim at shallow cultivation... keep stubble trash on top of the ground... don't burn stubble... don't use implements that pulverize the surface... cultivate as

little as possible... study every conservation suggestion that comes your way.

Older farmers had a hard time taking to the new concept of prairie farming. To tie in with the new ideas, they had to abandon the plows and cultivators they had used ever since they first farmed "down east" or in the older countries. The swing was to the "one-way" disc plow, an implement that would stir the soil

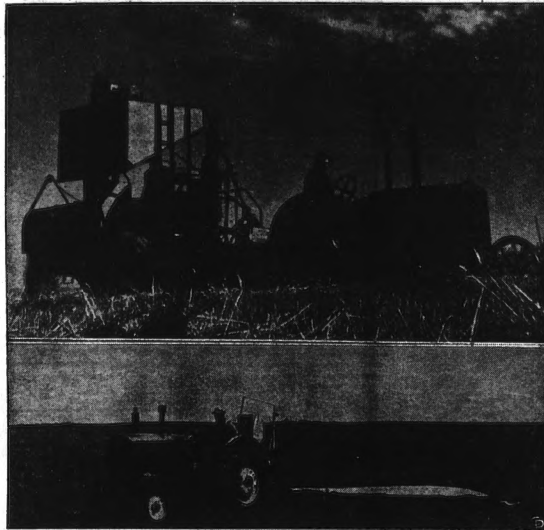
enough to check weed growth, and avoid drying out the soil. He will adopt chemical weed control whenever possible, so that he can eliminate still more cultivation.

He will make every effort to restore to the land what he takes out of it by cropping. That, say his advisers, is the crux of the business of conserving the soil, and as long as it is kept in mind, the farmer won't go far wrong.

BRITAIN'S YOUNG FARMERS TO EXCHANGE VISITS WITH OVERSEAS STUDENTS

Britain is arranging for young farmers to have an opportunity to study agricultural methods in Europe and for foreign students to visit the United Kingdom in exchange. The scheme which has the full support of the Minister of Agriculture has already been welcomed by authorities in Denmark, France, Holland, Sweden and Switzerland. Details of this new plan were announced by the National Farmers Union who will arrange these exchanges.

The average growing life span of an elephant is 40 years.



The harvester combine, top photo, was developed rapidly on the prairies during the '30's, and became known as a great aid to soil conservation. The combine scattered the crop residue, straw and chaff, back on the land, where it remained to return some of the humus matter removed by cropping practices. Straw that was once burned goes back to the land to help maintain fertility. Chemical weed control, by dust or spray, is becoming standard practice on prairie farms in the grain-growing areas. The new method by the machine in photo below makes it possible to eliminate some of the cultural practices that resulted in excessive pulverizing, and consequent drifting of the soil.

only enough to cut off weeds, would leave stubble trash on the surface, and leave the soil in small cloddy lumps.

The combine harvester, gaining in popularity in the '30's, was recognized as an important aid to soil conservation. In that crop residues were scattered on the land. Organic matter that used to be burned was restored to the soil, which was able to regain some of its sponginess. The trash cover helped prevent soil drifting.

Western Canada made a lot of headway in the dry years along the line of soil conservation. An official of the United States soils conservation service, visiting in Saskatchewan recently, paid tribute to the accomplishments of soils men and farmers on the prairies, said that a good many of the methods and devices worked out by Canadian workers had been picked up and used across the line. The man from down south, Wilkie Collins, Jr., of Lincoln, Nebraska, chief of the agronomy section of the famous service, spoke to a gathering of agronomists in Saskatchewan late in December. "You people have made splendid progress in your soil conservation work," he said. "Your methods we have found to be sound and effective, and the record indicates you are getting results."

But while Canadian workers realize they have made good progress, they know the battle isn't won yet. There are still many farms where harmful practices continue to deplete the land, where wind and water erosion take heavy toll of the soil. The ideal program, they say, would provide for a conservation service available to every farmer, and would include such things as revised cropping and cultivation practices, layouts for contour farming, plans for improving run-down soils, and a host of other things.

Battle Goes On

The dream of such a service may be realized in the future. In the meantime, the prairie farmer, working out his own salvation with the help of the experimental farms and university staff men he learned to trust and rely upon in the dry years, will carry on with the things he knows are good practice.

He will avoid a powdery land surface, and he will keep stubble on top where it will stop the wind from blowing his soil clean across the province. He will cultivate only

FRENCH SCIENTIST SAYS NERVES AN ENEMY OF BEAUTY

LONDON.—A calm life and a busy one is the recipe for beauty, said French scientist Dr. Francois Debat on a recent visit to London.

Debat says the time is coming when rejuvenation will be possible—but that is for tomorrow. Mean while nerves are a great enemy of good looks.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By WILLIAM FERGUSON



AT THE SOUND OF THE GONG!

THE WATER-CLOCK OF ANCIENT INDIA! A LARGE VESSEL WAS FILLED WITH WATER, AND A SMALLER VESSEL, WITH A HOLE IN THE BOTTOM, WAS SET ON THE SURFACE. WHEN THE WATER, SINKING, A TIME-BOY LIFTED IT, OUT, EMPTIED IT, STRUCK IT LOUDLY AS A TIME SIGNAL, AND SET IT ON THE WATER AGAIN.

THUS, THE PASSING HOURS WERE RECORDED.

T. H. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.

THE MOD SKIPPERS: A FISH OF THE EAST ATLANTIC; CLIMAX TREES.

Quaking Odds

"WHEN YOU DIP INTO SOMETHING, YOU DIP OUT OF IT." SAY JESS LAURA PERRY, Ransomville, New York.

LITTLE REGGIE



FRISCHILLA'S POP—Green Light



WORLD HAPPENINGS

BRIEFLY TOLD

Russian newspapers reported the assassination of Mohandas K. Gandhi in two paragraphs, noting that the killer spoke English.

Of Jamaica's 250,000 children between the ages of seven and 15, 177,000, or almost 71 per cent, are attending primary schools of which there are nearly 700.

Latest fashion in Germany is a suit that provides men with a "new look". It is made from 95 patches sewn together and there is a choice of 18 designs.

Vivien Adlard Tremaine, 66, former Red Cross nurse and attendant to King George V during his illness in 1915, died in Jeffery Hale hospital, Quebec, following a lengthy illness.

Although his operation of taxicabs from a Friday the 13th in 1913, Wilbert (Red) Jackson, Brockville, Ont., operator, is able to point to almost 35 years in the business without a serious accident.

Sir Ian Fraser, blind British member of parliament, recently officially opened a miniature rifle range at Brighton, Eng., for blind servicemen. The range is 35 yards long and has a single target with a mounted rifle.

Canada's oldest living triplets—William and James Bent, of Palmation, Ont., and Mrs. Albert Corbett, of Swift Current, Sask.—have celebrated their 83rd birthday anniversary.

A solicitor in Sydney, Australia, has accepted the trusteeship of 60 lizards belonging to a friend who died, because of an interest in the study of reptiles. He has grappled with 50-foot pythons, so the lizards are no problem.

HINT FOR MOTORIST

An automobile's starter should always be used sparingly, as about 30 minutes of normal driving is required to replace electrical energy used from battery for each minute of starting operation.

Sunday Theatres Hotly Debated

'SOUTHERND, Sussex, Eng.—When Southend town council refused by 26 votes to 23 to extend opening hours of Sunday movie theatres, Mayor S. E. Johnson referred to the petition for extension as "disgraceful".

"Do you wonder the world is in the condition it is?" he asked. "I say if these hours are extended you will do definite harm to the children of today and those still unborn."

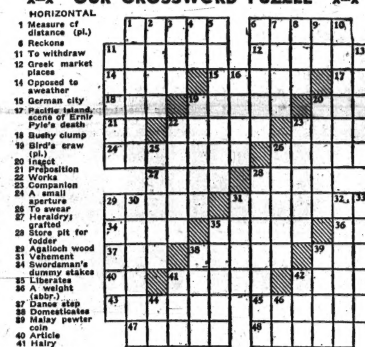
He described the proposal to increase hours from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. to 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. as a "desecration of God's holy day."

Other aldermen submitted the extension would make no difference to attendance at church and Sunday school.

"Children go to Sunday school nowadays only because they are sent," declared Ald. William Cox.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

THE DIAMOND

By KURT VON FISCHER

ON THE "Nieuwe Kade" in Amsterdam, the quay where the big liners serving passenger traffic to London are moored stood a man with a cigar between his lips. Though seemingly calm, leaning on the balustrade and contemplating the green waves washing over the granite squares of the wall, he viewed with furious excitement a policeman, who stood motionless, legs apart, some 10 yards away.

The man with the cigar casually turned his back towards the uniformed figure. He was of small, lean stature, with an olive complexion and thin, black moustache. Nobody would have suspected him to be the well-known diamond grinder Willem Verhaert, popular society figure of the town, whose mysterious disappearance half a year ago had had busily engaged the attention of police headquarters of a European capital. Suddenly the man threw his half-finished cigar into the water. Then he took out another one from his pocket and lighted it. He deeply inhaled the smoke, puffing it out nervously.

Had the policeman grown suspicious? Was everything to go wrong at the very last moment, the plan of one year to be nullified? Carefully, he took the Havana from his mouth and hid it between his quivering palms. Could the mysterious disappearance, hidden in an artificially cooled capsule in the middle of the bulging tobacco leaves, was there the missing Vijzel diamond?

For years Verhaert had been one of the most esteemed diamond grinders of Amsterdam's flourishing industry. But though the worth of millions ran through his fingers he had never succeeded in achieving more than a moderate financial position. Now he was nearing the fifties,

a bachelor and filled with feverish greediness for the luxuries of life. And it was then that he determined upon and planned the great coup. A lucky coincidence had delivered the unique chance into his hands. The Vijzel Diamond, newly found in South Africa and the tenth largest in the world, was given to him for grinding. Soon the papers had a sensation. The well-known grinder Verhaert had disappeared together with the precious stone. While the police blocked and checked all roads and means of transportation, the principal in all this excitement sat in his ingeniously prepared hide-out in a cellar and subjugated his body to a torture.

By hunger, excessive sweating and endless gymnastics he reduced his weight by many pounds during a few weeks. The podgy Verhaert changed into an emaciated creature. Staining of his skin with permanganate of potash, atropin applied to the eyes, a moustache was dyed with henna and a big expense of bald head in place of the former faxen mass of hair created the French chessman, Flechman Emile Verlon, bearer of the forged passport.

Half a year in the dark and then he staked the step across the frontier. Once in London, a new life could begin. During passport inspection everything went well; not even his own mother would have recognized him. The customs control was exceedingly thorough, the officials still searching for the vanished diamond. He was even subjected to a body inspection. But during the whole procedure he flauntingly chewed his Havana, right under the eyes of the officials.

For two months he had laboriously worked on the manufacture of this cigar. A mere phony would certainly have aroused the suspicion of the officials. But he had succeeded in producing an effect out of real tobacco leaves, which gave quite a natural impression, was perfectly smokeable and still covered the diamond in its middle. Finally came the blessed word: "Passes!"

And now, when only embarkation remained, now after he had cleverly overcome all critical situations, now in the very last moment was everything to come to naught?

What could this policeman have noticed about him? Could he have recognized him? Impossible! Or did he, by heavens, suspect the cigar? Not very likely, either. But why was he now, staring at him?

An icy chill froze his limbs. The policeman was staring towards him.

"Give me the cigar, will you?" he heard a cold, hard voice say.

Willem Verhaert closed his eyes, his knees shook. He was not the type to resist. He was cunning but not brave. Also after his terrible loss of strength he would have been physically unable to fight.

He fatalistically awaited the clicking of the handcuffs.

But nothing like it happened.

The policeman still stood facing him. He even smiled amiably now. "You know, sir," he said, throwing the cigar carelessly into the sea. "The building over there is the gas-line dump. Smoking is strictly forbidden here."

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Fake Doctor Poisons Staff To Loot Bank

TOKYO.—Tokyo police reported a robber posing as a public health doctor had induced the entire staff of a bank to take quick-action poison that killed 12 and left four others critically ill.

When police reached the building, a branch of the Teikoku Bank, 300,000 yen (\$6,000) was piled on a desk, the safe door stood open and the fake doctor had vanished. Whether he had been frightened away without loot was not determined, pending a check of the safe.

One woman had crawled in agony to the street to call help.

Salada Tea Sales Increase

The year 1947 showed substantial increases over '46 and '45 in Salada Tea Sales, the total volume being almost double the average annual sales from 1935 to 1939.

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PHONE CONSTRUCTION

EDMONTON.—An outlay of approximately \$600,000 will be made by the Alberta government telephone system on a new toll exchange now under construction just west of the city telephone building. It was started recently.

The Trochu Memorial Arena



Trochu Memorial Arena

In April of 1947 plans were made by the Trochu, Alberta, Elks to build a Memorial Arena in honor of the gallant men of the district who had given their lives in the recent war. Shares were offered in an effort to raise money and in the first two days \$10,000 was collected. The arena has cost approximately \$20,000, although part of this sum went into a curling rink, not yet completed, which is to have four sheets of ice. Only \$3,000 has been spent on labor, as for the most part work has been voluntarily given.

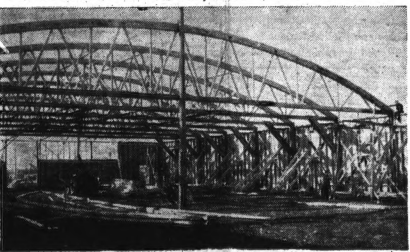
Work commenced in June and just five months later the arena was ready for use, though there is much still to be done. Sisson heating equipment is to be installed and the building insulated.

The ice surface is the standard

200x85 size and the building itself is approximately 100x240. The north end of the arena is a large waiting room where lunches are served during intermissions, and several dressing rooms. There is seating capacity for over a thousand people and standing room for nearly six hundred.

This space was entirely filled for the official opening on January 9th. Walter Anderson, Exalted Ruler of the Elks and John Hanna secretary were active in the enterprise. John Pryor, chairman of the building committee, worked untiringly for the success of the project, assisted by C. M. Kane. The finance committee were ably directed by J. P. Ferguson.

This gigantic project so successfully accomplished is a tribute to the co-operation displayed by the 1,000 citizens of Trochu and district.



The Arena pictured under construction

ESTABLISH BLOOD BANK

CRANBROOK, B.C. — Six East Kootenay hospitals, Cranbrook, Kimberley, Creston, Invermere, Fernie and Mitchell-Natal have signed agreements for establishment of a blood bank. Supply of whole blood for the district will be maintained at St. Eugene Hospital, where special refrigeration facilities have been established. Blood plasma will be kept at each of the six hospitals in the district.

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THE TILERS



Reports Job Prospects For 1948 "Bright"

Winter Drop in Employment Has Not Been As Severe As 1948 Ago

OTTAWA.—Labor Minister Mitchell in his department's monthly manpower survey reports that job prospects for 1948 are "bright".

The seasonal winter drop in employment has not been as severe as a year ago, Mr. Mitchell said. Jobs registered with National Employment Service are down 10 per cent. from the corresponding time last year.

"Although the number of winter unemployed has increased during the last month," the minister said, "the pressure for production continues high in many industries and operations have pushed ahead in spite of seasonal handicaps."

For the year as a whole, he added, the outlook in the employment field is bright, and the prospects are that jobs available will outnumber applicants in the summer of this year in several lines, just as was the case at the middle of 1947. At that time, there was a shortage of 33,000 workers.

"Both skilled tradesmen and materials are likely to be in somewhat better supply this year, so that further expansion of industry should be possible," the report added. "Plans in construction and mining particularly indicate an increase in the lev-

MANITOBA'S HEALTH REPORT

Cases of communicable diseases reported to the Department of Health and Public Welfare, Province of Manitoba for the four week period November 29th to December 27th, 1947, were as follows:

Anterior poliomyelitis 4; chickenpox 229; diarrhoea and enteritis under one year 9; diphtheria 6; encephalitis 0; erysipelas 3; influenza 12; measles 152; meningococcal meningitis 1; mumps 86; lobar pneumonia 1; scarlet fever 15; tuberculosis 98; typhoid fever 2; and whooping cough 85.

Altogether in 1947, 509 cases of poliomyelitis were reported and there were 8 deaths. Very few of the 591 will have any permanent crippling as the disease was of a milder type than usual.

There were 82 cases of encephalitis and six of these died in 1947.—Health and Welfare Education.

Use of employment in these lines above 1947, while demands for seasonal workers in agriculture and transportation should not be less."

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Sift dry ingredients together. Cut in shortening until well mixed. Add raisins and orange rind. Beat egg slightly in measuring cup and add milk to make 1 ½ cups. Add to first mixture. Roll out about 1/2-inch thick; cut with floured biscuit cutter. Place on greased pan. Bake in hot oven (475°F.) about 12 minutes. Makes 16.

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—By Chuck Thornton

"I COULDN'T UNDERSTAND IT—THEY ALL LOVED ME LAST SUMMER—THEN TO MY HORROR I OVERHEARD THAT WHISPER—"

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BZZZ!! FREDDIE

YEAH! BZZZ!!

"SO GAD, IF YOU DON'T WANT MY LIFE BLIGHTED ALL WINTER, LEND ME ENOUGH TO BUY A TOP FOR THIS!"

—By Les Carroll

"I'VE BEEN WANTING TO CLEAN OUT THE MEDICINE CHEST ALL SUMMER, AND THIS GIVES ME A CHANCE TO DO IT WITHOUT WASTING THE MEDICINE!"

"HUH?"

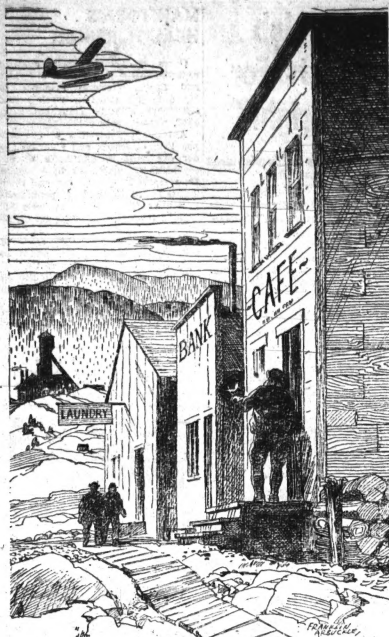
"YOU MUST LOOK ON THE BRIGHT SIDE OF THINGS, PAUL. IN A WAY IT'S NICE YOU ARE SICK!"

"NOW DON'T COMPLAIN—JUST TAKE IT!"

"I DON'T SEE WHY I HAD TO GET SICK TODAY, WITH SO MUCH WORK TO DO!"

"BRR! IT'S SUCH AN UNPLEASANT SURPRISE!"

"TIME FOR MORE PAIN!"

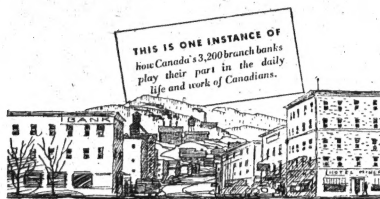


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Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Graphic office not later than Thursday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. Idris Evans were Calgary visitors last week-end.

Miss Alice Lach, of Calgary, was a Blaimore visitor last week-end.

Mr. Tom Hadwell, is recovering from an injury received ten days ago.

Quite a number of Blaimore folks attended and enjoyed the Seventh Annual Drama Festival held in Coleman Wednesday evening.

LOST — in the vicinity of "Haysom's residence in Bellevue, one man's dark grey glove, for right hand. Finder please leave at J. Ruymaker's home. — REWARD:

According to the latest issue of the Canada Gazette, Giovanni (John) De Cecco and Philipa Malanchuk of Coleman and Joseph Sturban of Bellevue have been granted certificates of Canadian Citizenship.

Weather permitting, the picturesque ski run in Blaimore will be a scene of activities on Sunday, Feb. 15th. Also with the members of the Blaimore Ski Club, a large number of Lethbridge skiers are scheduled to arrive for the day.

In view of the fact that last Sunday's service at Central United church was cancelled due to the weather, the service in connection with CGIT week will be held on Sunday evening with two of the girls taking part and the girls' choir in attendance. You are cordially invited to this service.

Diner (angrily to waiter): You've spilled that soup all over my coat.

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BESL AUXILIARY

Blaimore Alberta,
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Blaimore Graphic,
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At long last the B.E.S.L. now have formed the Ladies' Auxiliary. This is indeed a much needed branch of the BESL, in any community, and proud as we might be of our past accomplishments in banquet arrangements and such it still hasn't got that "woman's touch" which makes arrangements fully complete. It is the duty of all "eligible" (I like that word) members to get behind this auxiliary and make it an organization to be proud of.

The duties and work involved of a BESL Auxiliary are numerous and of great benefit to veterans' families and the community as a whole — get behind it "gals".

The BESL Local of Blaimore have a Club Room and facilities "second to none". Thanks to the aggressive committees and President now in office.

Dealing again with that word "eligibility" and after reading the Press Correspondent's report as published in the Blaimore Graphic, February 6, "Quote" — We just love having that man "Glyn" around. "H'm, think I'll keep my wife home until he gets hooked. Yes girls he's eligible, but I often hear him remark, 'I don't want her, you can have her and so on. So you have a problem child even if he is eligible. Best of luck ladies on this new venture. I'm sure you can count on unlimited support of all the comrades of No. 7.

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